

## BROOKLYN NEWS.

## FATALLY HURT ANOTHER BOY.

**Detestatives Put on Young Michael Lajohn's Track.**

**James La Bufo Was Killed in the Groin in a Fight.**

James La Bufo, aged thirteen, of 529 Carroll street, Brooklyn, is lying at the point of death to-day suffering from injuries said to have been inflicted by a playmate.

On last Friday afternoon he quarrelled while playing baseball with Michael Lajohn, of the same age, who lives at President street and Fourth avenue.

Lajohn, it is alleged, knocked the other boy down, stepped upon him and finally kicked him in the groin. He then turned and fled.

La Bufo was carried home and put to bed, but his condition became so serious that Dr. Greenhalgh, of 755 Union street, was called in. The physician said he could not relieve the child's suffering, but when he called late last night he found that La Bufo was suffering from peritonitis, resulting from being kicked in the groin.

He notified the police of the Sixth avenue station, and Detectives Raleigh and Kelly are now looking for Lajohn.

## DROVE ON THE SIDEWALK.

**Street Was Too Crowded for Knox, Who Was Arrested.**

John Knox, of 209 North Second street, was held for examination in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, this morning on a charge of driving on the sidewalk.

About 9 o'clock last night Knox left the stable next door to his house in a light wagon, being accompanied by a friend. At the street was pretty well blocked at the time Knox drove along on the sidewalk from Roeboling street to Driggs avenue.

Policeman Hotchkiss was standing near the corner of Driggs avenue, when he saw people rushing into the middle of the street, and the next moment the wagon appeared. Knox recklessly dashed the horse to the top of his speed.

Hotchkiss commanded him to stop, and when his orders were not obeyed he grabbed the horse and forced a halt.

Several little children had narrow escapes from being run over, and the people in the neighborhood were so indignant at Knox that they threatened him with bodily harm.

## THINGS M'KANE OVERLOOKED.

**Break-Thieves Busy Gathering Them in at Coney Island.**

On complaint of William Leahy, an engineer in the electric light station at Coney Island, Martin D. Van Buren was arrested this morning charged with stealing a gold watch which had been left in his vest pocket, hanging up in the engine room.

Some time back a thief visited a fair which is being held on the iron pier at the Church of Our Guardian Angels and stole a gold watch valued at \$25.

William Leahy, of Kensington Walk, Coney Island, notified the police this morning that thieves had broken open a trunk in his apartments and stolen a watch and \$15 in money.

## GRAFT FOR PICKPOCKETS.

**No Police at the Long Island City Depot and Ferry-House.**

LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., Aug. 3.—There is considerable complaint on account of the number of pickpockets who loiter around the Long Island Railroad station Sunday nights, picking the pockets of scores of people coming back from the beaches. The pickpockets know that there is no policeman stationed at the depot and ferry-house, and that they can do their work without interference.

Last Sunday night over a dozen pickpockets, emptied of their contents, and satchels were found in the gutters, which had been "lifted" from the pockets and belts of passengers.

Some time ago the Railroad and Ferry Company had a policeman stationed there, but the Company refused to pay him any longer and he was discharged.

## STOLE FROM A GRAVE.

**Broke Charged with Desecrating the H. B. Claflin Lot.**

Frita Brode, thirty-eight years old, of 762 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn, was held for examination by Justice Tigue, in the Butler Street Police Court, Brooklyn, this morning, on the charge of stealing flowers from the H. B. Claflin lot in Greenwood Cemetery on July 27. Edward Sampson, of 321A Twenty-second street, an employee in the cemetery, made the charge.

Sampson said he was walking along one of the paths, near the Claflin plot, when he saw Brode with two flowers in his hand. They were of a peculiar variety, and did not grow in any other plot except the Claflin inclosure, in that section of the cemetery.

Supt. Cushman says the practice of stealing flowers from graves is becoming too general. Every one caught will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

## STABBED BY A WOMAN.

**Goldstein Says He Was Wounded by Becky's Scissors.**

Becky Gefken, tailoress, who resides on Thirteenth avenue, near Belmont, Brooklyn, was arraigned in Gates Avenue Court this morning on the charge of stabbing Heinz Goldstein, of Osborn street and Eastern Parkway. Both work in a tailor shop on Thirteenth avenue, and an argument over the proper sphere of woman ended in harsh words.

Finally Becky, it is said, stabbed Heinz in the side with her scissors.

A warrant was secured for her arrest, but Court Officer Webb simply notified her to appear in court yesterday morning and did not take her into custody.

Becky disregarded the mandate of the court, and Justice Quigley issued a second warrant. Last night she was arrested, and this morning she gave bonds to appear for trial.

## Cut His Throat with a Razor.

Thomas McLaughlin, of 150 North Seventh street, Williamsburg, has been out of work for some time, and was dependent. At 11 o'clock last night he attempted to cut his throat with a razor, but the razor he used was blunt.

At the Eastern District hospital this morning it was said that he will be out in a few days.

## The 6 O'Clock Edition and the Sporting Extra of The Evening World contains more sporting news of interest than can be found in any other evening newspaper.

## RACED FOR HIS LOVE.

**Two Girls Row on Prospect Park Lake—Fred Boehm the Prize.**

Mamie Butler won and Mollie MacFadden wept.

At First They Were Going to Settle Things by Means of a Duel.

The facts concerning an exciting boat race which took place last evening between two handsome young women on the lake in Prospect Park were learned to-day.

The prize for which the girls contended was, it is said, the privilege to claim Frederick Boehm, of 57 Clifton place, as the victor's steady company.

The young women, whose names are Nellie MacFadden, of 28 Wilson street, Williamsburg, and Mamie Butler, of this city, visited the lake shortly after 7 o'clock, accompanied by a well-dressed young man, who is believed to be the prize. They each jumped into a light skiff, the young man gave them the word, and off they started.

The race was from the boathouse to the end of the lake and back, a distance of about a mile. Both of the young women are experts with the oars, and on the home stretch raced side by side.

When within about seven yards of the boathouse Miss Butler spurred and won by half a boat length. When the two had disembarked Miss MacFadden sat down on a bench and wept bitterly, while Miss Butler took the arm of the young man and walked away with him.

Miss MacFadden told her story to a number of sympathetic bystanders, and added that at first she and Miss Butler had decided to fight a duel, but finally thought that a boat race would be just as satisfactory.

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Mrs. MacFadden admitted the facts about the boat race and added:

"My husband will be very angry with me. First, because she was a fool and second, because she allowed herself to be beaten. John is an expert carman and he taught Nellie all she knew about rowing."

## STRIKES ANOTHER SNAG.

**Nassau Trolley Co. Blocked by the Rockaway Beach Road.**

The Nassau Electric Railroad Company, of Brooklyn, ran against another snag this morning in its attempt to gridiron the city with trolley lines.

Lawyer Isaac M. Kapper, representing the Rockaway Beach and Brooklyn Railroad, secured from Justice Bartlett, of the Supreme Court, an order restraining the Nassau Company, to show cause why its company should not be enjoined from crossing the tracks of the Rockaway Beach road on Rockaway avenue.

A bolt of lightning struck into the saloon of J. Oscar Kline on Division avenue, knocked the "clacker" sideways and shocked Henry Bellet, a bartender, who was sitting near the instrument.

Lightning struck the ground in front of the fashionable bath-house 62 Bedford avenue, and one of the tenants, believing the place was on fire, turned in an alarm. There was no blaze.

When the storm broke, Sgt. Joseph Hayes had started to receive a message over the telephone in the Cramer street station-house, and Operator Hugu Reynolds was listening to the report of a patrolman. Reynolds was badly shocked, and a ball of fire jumped out of the telephone just as the sergeant reached it. Neither the sergeant nor Reynolds went near the instruments for half an hour later.

## HORSES STRUCK DEAD.

**Killed by Lightning and the Driver Knocked Senseless.**

**Trolley Car Traffic Interfered with by the Storm.**

**Several Houses Slightly Damaged by Electrical Bolts.**

The blinding flash of lightning, followed by the deafening crash of thunder which startled Brooklynites this morning, was responsible for one of those queer freaks to which electrical discharges are particularly prone.

Genero Cicella, an Italian, of 181 Grove street, Brooklyn, an employee of Thomas H. McCormick, a contractor, of 25 Central avenue, was loading a wagon with sand at Grove street, near Irving avenue. Attached to the wagon was a team of half-bred percheron bay horses valued at about \$500. Cicella was hurrying to get away before the thunderstorm broke, when suddenly he saw a blinding flash and then he became unconscious.

When he awoke, fifteen minutes later, Ambulance Surgeon O'Brien, of St. Catherine's Hospital, was bending over him, with ammonia in one hand and brandy in the other. Cicella turned instinctively to the brandy and soon after sat up and explained in picturesquely broken English that he had taken part in the day of judgment. He was sent home to recuperate.

The most peculiar feature of the accident was that both the horses lay dead by half a boat length. When the two had disembarked Miss MacFadden sat down on a bench and wept bitterly, while Miss Butler took the arm of the young man and walked away with him.

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## HEBREW APPEAL TO MAYOR.

**Mr. Schieren Reprimands Sergt. White for a Remark.**

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This announcement was made when the case of Michael Fallon, a member of the Patsy Bannon Association, of "Tammany Hall" organization of Long Island City, was called. July 24 the Association gave a challenge at College Point. When the members returned to Long Island City that night, a mob of men, numbering 100, entered Bannon's saloon, over which the Association meets, and took a parting round of drinks.

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"See here, officer, I don't want this thing smothered at all. There are a lot of fellows in this city who think they can do what they like with the police. I want to teach the corner loafers and loungers that this Court will uphold the police in their duty, and that the loafers must let the police alone."

Fallon denied assaulting Schroeder, but Justice Ingram took little or fifteen days' imprisonment.

## KNOCKED DOWN A MARINE.

**Then the Sailor's Friends Put the Bold Soldier to Flight.**

Police were summoned shortly after midnight this morning to quell a disturbance outside the York street gate of the Brooklyn Navy-Yard. S. J. O'Neill, twenty-two years old, a sailor on the United States cruiser Cincinnati, got into a row with a marine named Dunn. Dunn, it is alleged, picked up a stone and struck his opponent on the head, laying him out upon the sidewalk unconscious and bleeding. A crowd of O'Neill's friends went to his assistance, and Dunn took to his heels. The crowd chased him several blocks, but he got away.

The injured man was attended by Ambulance Surgeon Love and removed to the Homeopathic Hospital, where it was found that his injury was serious.

## GEORGE HODGE SENTENCED.

**Ex-Bookkeeper of the Harlem Bank Gets Two and a Half Years.**

George Hodge, thirty-five years old, ex-bookkeeper of the Harlem Savings Bank, who was found guilty of forgery in the third degree, following an indictment charging him with stealing about \$2,000 by falsifying the bank books, was arraigned before Judge Martine, in Part I, of the Court of General Sessions, to-day and sentenced to two years and six months in the State Prison.

Hodge is married, and lived at 348 East One Hundred and Twentieth street. Until the exposure came he bore an enviable reputation.

You read "The Evening World"? Do you read the Sunday World?

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## SOME MYSTERY IN HER DEATH.

**Coroner Kene, of Brooklyn, Was Asked To-day to Investigate the Death of Bridget Curley, Aged Forty-five, of 160 Court street, who was found dead in the yard in the rear of her home shortly before midnight. At 11:30 o'clock she said she was going out upon the roof of an extension to hang up some clothes to dry. A few minutes later she screamed and her body was heard to strike the ground. When the tenants reached the yard she was unconscious. An ambulance surgeon was summoned, but the woman died before he arrived.**

A Young Burglar Arrested.

August Schmidt, nineteen years old, was held in the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, to-day on a charge of burglary. About 2 o'clock this morning Schmidt broke into Henry Trump's room at 101 South Seventh street, and stole a watch and a pair of trousers. Police of Fitzgibbon saw him enter and arrested him. Schmidt tried to stab the policeman with a screwdriver.

Her Jewelry Stolen.

Jewelry worth \$200 was stolen this morning from the apartments of Lena Miller, of 23 Bleeker street, Brooklyn.

## NEW JERSEY NEWS.

## 'T WAS JACOB GOLDSTEIN'S.

**Mystery of Rahway's Headless Body Cleared Up.**

RAHWAY, N. J., Aug. 3.—The mystery concerning the headless body of a man found in the suburbs of this city last Saturday, has probably been solved.

Mrs. Jacob Goldstein, of Perth Amboy, yesterday visited the morgue of Undertaker Ryno, and from some of the clothing and articles found on the dead man, she concluded that the body was that of her husband.

Jacob Goldstein was a peddler, and lived with his family at Perth Amboy. One day in May last he visited New York on business, returning after dark. In his absence his horse had strayed away, and Goldstein started out to find him. Before going he put on an extra pair of trousers, as the air was chilly.

When he returned he found his home empty, and nothing has ever been learned of him since. The horse returned to his own stall in a day or two.

A few days later the body of a man was found on the track at Perth Amboy. The coat and vest on this body was identical with Mrs. Goldstein's belonging to her husband. It is believed that Goldstein was robbed and murdered by some tramp who concealed the body in the woods, and that the tramp was himself subsequently killed by a Pennsylvania constable. The fact that the coat and vest found in the woods had never been seen by Mrs. Goldstein, tends to confirm this theory.

The size of the body and the time it had probably lain in the woods corresponds with the fact that it is in the autumn, and the time has been missing.

## LIGHTNING HITS A BARN.

**Valuable Horse Killed and a Number of Men Stunned.**

ELIZABETH, N. J., Aug. 3.—During a severe electrical storm here to-day a big barn in the Evergreen Cemetery, on the outskirts of the city, was struck by lightning and destroyed with its contents. A valuable horse must have been instantly killed by the electric bolt, as he was found lying dead when men entered the burning barn to rescue him. The loss is over \$3,000.

Three laborers, employed in constructing the trolley line of the Consolidated Traction Company between Newark and Elizabeth, and who were working just opposite the cemetery, were badly stunned and had to be carried into a neighboring house. Later they revived sufficiently to be removed to their homes.

Frank Williams, a lineman employed in the Central Telephone Exchange here, was stunned by a terrific shock which he sustained in the office. The fuses were all burned out in the Exchange, and the women operators driven from their seats.

The fire alarm system was completely knocked out and havoc was created throughout the city by the telephone system. The lightning demolished a big weather vane on a telegraph pole near the telephone station. The rain came down in sheets, the fall being 8-10 of an inch in twenty-five minutes.

## Camp-Meeting at Cresskill.

CRESSKILL, N. J., Aug. 3.—The Evangelists are holding a camp-meeting in the grove here, every evening at 7:30, except Saturday, and at 10:30 A. M. and 4 and 7 P. M. on Sunday, under the leadership of Charles E. Furman, of New York, and Place Battle, of Brooklyn. All Christians are earnestly invited to attend.

## HELD FOR THE GRAND JURY.

**Collector Collins Charged with Embezzlement.**

Daniel P. Collins, of 218 Pavonia avenue, Jersey City, was arrested this morning on complaint of Andrew A. Daly, who accused him of embezzling \$170 from the Greenwich Insurance Company. It is alleged that Collins, who is a collector for the company, secured premiums for insurance, but sold the money to his own use.

Collins was arraigned before Police Justice Potts, and was held in \$500 bail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

## MILWAUKEE'S CALLAHAN, A Temple and Inveterate Rotor Introduced in 1870, is the original. He is the retail sale Aug. 4 at St. John's Floating Hospital. MILWAUKEE, 181 Broadway.

## Tremendous Slaughter TO-MORROW OF WASH DRESS GOODS.

375 pieces Check Gingham, good quality. Enough for all. . . . . Yd. .034

150 pieces very pretty Shirting Cambric. . . . . Yd. .034

All our best Pacific Lawns and Union Linen Dress Goods, also the 12½c. Pongees, all at . . . . . Yd. .044

2 cases Fast Colored Fancy Cotton Crepe at Yd. .09

50 pieces Imported French Seersucker, were sold at 45c., for . . . . . Yd. .12½

1 case best Domestic Sateen, at . . . . . Yd. .08

5 bales Unbleached Muslin, worth 8c., at . . . . . Yd. .044

100 dozen Wash Rags at . . . . . each .01

50 pieces Check Nainsook, were sold at 10c., at . . . . . Yd. .044

5 cases Kid Cambric. Yd. .03½

100 doz n large Bleached Turkish Towels. . . . . Each .06½

1 case heavy Cream Table Damask, worth 45c., at Yd. .27

1 lot very heavy Scotch Table Damask, worth 65c., at . . . . . Yd. .39

100 dozen Bleached German Table Damask, full width, sold everywhere at 75c., for. Yd. .45

## JEWELRY.

Another Lot of Solid Gold Baby Rings, size 10 (Gents) Plated Chain, formerly \$1.00, sale . . . . . 35c.

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